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SUBJECT.

*Directing that the diversion of the provision
of 6 1/2 Seers of rice being cooked & distributed
to travellers in the Melkote temple should
be ^{0/201} stopped*

PREVIOUS REFERENCES

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memo

In the Tasdik Patthi of Sri Narayanabawami temple at Melkote, there is a provision for $6\frac{1}{2}$ seers of rice being cooked and distributed to travellers every day. But for the past several years, $2\frac{1}{4}$ seers of the aforesaid assignment are being paid to certain minor temples in Melkote and the remaining $4\frac{1}{4}$ seers to certain ~~low~~ Brahmins residing at Melkote, these grants being made under orders issued from time to time by local Muzrai Officers and in one instance by the Daftar Department of the late Chief Commissioner's Office.

Owing to the opening of Railway communications the influx of travellers into Melkote is increasing, and during my last visit to the place it was represented to me that travellers visiting the place are put to great inconvenience in consequence

of the diversion of the Tasdik
assignment referred to above.

I therefore beg to suggest
that the rice allowances
amounting to $4\frac{1}{4}$ Seers
granted to certain permanent
residents of the place be
resumed in view to the rice
being appropriated for the
distribution of cooked food
to travellers in accordance
with the original object of
mentioned in the Tasdik Path.

The allowances granted to
the minor Temples may
however be allowed to continue.

Before cancelling
the grants enjoyed by
minor temples, I
shd like to have info
regarding, on following points,
1. When & how these temples
came into existence

2. What other emoluments do
they enjoy -

3. Their present condition
& the extent to which

they are resorted to by
pilgrims & residents

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The whole grant of $6\frac{1}{2}$ Seers
shd be restored to the
original purpose of the

Tasdik path the existing
mis application of the
same shd be cancelled

The Cancellation as regards
individuals to be
immediately carried out

Read:—

The following Note
by the Muzrai Superior
tendant in response dated
29th March 1889:—

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under thereon

The Muzrai Superior
tendant's note read
above is communicated
to the Dy Commr Mysore
District, for information
with the observation
that the whole grant
of $6\frac{1}{2}$ Seers of rice
referred to therein should
be restored to the original
purpose mentioned in
the Tassik Patti, the
existing misapplication

of the same being cancelled.

2. The Government accordingly direct that the personal grants amounting to $\frac{2}{4}$ seers of rice held by certain individuals be at once cancelled. As regards, however, the grants enjoyed by minor temples the Govt, before directing their cancellation, desires to have info on the following points:-

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1. Where and how these temples came into existence?
2. What other emoluments do they enjoy?
3. Their present condition and the extent to which they are resorted to by pilgrims or by the local residents

The Dy Commr is requested

to submit a report
on the fore-going
points as early as
practicable

At
Muz Secretary
Camp

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Mysore St